

## Alexandria Gazette.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, MAR. 24, 1897.

## LOCAL MATTERS.

**WEATHER PROBABILITIES.**—For this section fair to-night and Thursday; cooler Thursday morning; probably light frost; northerly winds.

**MATT. KERSEY HEARD FROM.**—C. B. Montgomery, of Jacksonville, Fla., arrived in Washington from Cuba yesterday, coming by way of Kingston, Jamaica, and Newport News. Mr. Montgomery was on the filibuster Comodore when she was sunk, and has since continued active in support of the Cuban cause. He stopped here to call on the mother of Matt Kersey and give her news of her son, who was supposed to be confined in prison in Cuba. According to Mr. Montgomery's statement, Kersey is now in Santa Clara province, in the vicinity of Santa Spiritus, with the Roanoke, Va., and Texas sharpshooters. Kersey, Mr. Montgomery says, has had a rough time of it over there for the past five months, and his experiences have been mixed. Mr. Montgomery says Kersey never has been in prison. He has stayed in the insurgent territory as a member of the Texas and Virginia sharpshooters, whom Gomez has hired to "pick off" Spanish officers at so much per head. He appears to have some reason for not communicating with his folks or friends in Alexandria, and it is said, he never talks of returning to the United States. It was under an assumed name that he shipped on the Three Friends on one of her trips from Santa Fe.

Mr. Kersey's friends in this city are disposed to receive Mr. Montgomery's story cum grano salis, as so many contradictory and unfounded statements of the missing man's whereabouts have been made recently.

**COUNTY COURT.**—Judge R. H. Tobbs presiding.—Com. vs. Thos. Kelly, indicted for grand larceny from the person; jury and verdict not guilty and prisoner discharged. Kelly was charged with robbing a man named Bailey, with whom he and others drove in a hack from Washington to Jackson City. Bailey claimed that while drunk in the vehicle he was robbed.

Grange Camp Association of Northern Virginia vs. Geo. R. Gardner et al., unlawful detainer; jury and verdict for plaintiffs and order that premises be returned to plaintiff. This action was brought to recover a small strip of land on which a house had been erected just outside the enclosure of the Alexandria Island race track.

W. A. & Mt. V. Ry. Co. vs. Susan Fletcher; order appointing H. H. Young commissioner to ascertain who are entitled to the valuation of certain land condemned—\$1,200.

The application of Henry Brown, a tramp, who had been sent to jail by Justice Supplee, to be released was not formally presented.

Court adjourned for the term.

**PERSONAL.**—Rev. Arthur S. Johns, of Rockville, Md., has accepted a call to Christ Church, Washington.

Miss Clara Smith has been elected delegate and Miss Margaret Wallace alternate from the Caroline Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy of Fredericksburg, to the State conference, to be held in this city on the 22d of April. Mrs. Richard H. Wright, of Norfolk, gave a tug party to Old Point last Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Ladye Hobson of Richmond. Among the guests were Miss Johns of this city and Mr. Stuart Johns, formerly of this city but now of Norfolk.

Among those present at the annual meeting of the Grand Council of the District of Columbia on Monday were Grand Regent of Virginia J. J. Jamieson and Mr. R. W. Arnold, of this city. Mr. Jamieson was present last night at the meeting of the Staunton Council.

Mr. Henry Green is quite sick at his home on Washington street.

**A ROMANTIC WEDDING.**—It has been developed that Mr. Henry C. Staub, of Washington, and Miss Sarah E. Rhodes, of Alexandria county, were married in Baltimore Monday night, the ceremony being performed by Bishop Latane. Miss Rhodes is the daughter of the superintendent of Arlington Cemetery, Washington. Monday she went to Washington from her home in Alexandria county to spend the night with Miss May Byrne, of New York avenue. In the afternoon Mr. Staub went to Baltimore and obtained a marriage license, after which the couple were married. The young couple went to Arlington Cemetery last night to break the news to Mrs. Staub's parents. They will live for the present with Mr. Staub's mother.

**POLICE COURT.**—The following cases were disposed of this morning: Martha Lewis, colored, charged with disorderly conduct, was dismissed for want of evidence.

James Lucas, charged with a similar offense, was also dismissed.

Charles and Bernard Mitchell, two white boys from Richmond, were held at the station house, it being supposed they had run away from their home.

John Dogan, colored, was arrested for selling fish without a license.

**Night Report.**—Last night was clear and mild until about half-past three o'clock, when it began to rain. One prisoner and fifteen lodgers were at the station house.

**THE AQUEDUCT BRIDGE.**—Senator McMillan introduced in the Senate yesterday a bill providing for widening the Aqueduct bridge and laying a single track for the use of the Mount Vernon, Fort Myer, Arlington and Falls Church Railways. The use of the track is confined to street cars. The railway companies interested shall advance the cost of the work and pay a toll of one cent per passenger. The work is to be done by the War Department, and the operation of cars is to be controlled by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia.

**CHURCH MEETING.**—The congregation of the Second Presbyterian Church will hold a meeting to-night at which it is understood a call will be extended to a minister to take charge of the church in place of Rev. T. H. Rice who recently resigned to accept another charge. Among those mentioned in connection with the call are Revs. Dr. E. W. McCord, Dr. W. C. Campbell, A. P. Saunders, W. McC. White, and J. E. Thacker.

**DELEGATES TO ALEXANDRIA.**—There was a meeting of the Daughters of the Confederacy at Camp Hall on Monday evening. Fourteen delegates were elected to attend the annual meeting in Alexandria next month. Mrs. W. A. Smoot, president of the Alexandria Chapter, has invited the delegates to be entertained by her chapter. (Richmond State.

## CITY COUNCIL.

A short session of the City Council was held last night, and the business generally was transacted with but little debate. There were but few spectators of the proceedings.

## BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Six Aldermen were present. The board concurred in all the business transacted by the Common Council without debate.

## COMMON COUNCIL.

There was a larger number present at the opening of the board than is usual. The finance committee having reported adversely on the petition of Prof. C. F. Thompson for leave to run wires in the street so as to furnish incandescent lights for store fronts.

Mr. Strider said he thought the chairman of the finance committee was mistaken in stating at the last meeting that Prof. Thompson had run wires to Hotel Fleischmann and had put up incandescent lights. The fact was that the wires were there to drive fans and were used in the instruction of an electrical school taught there by Mr. Thompson. The report was agreed to.

Councilman Thompson asked if the city was prepared to furnish incandescent lights to any citizen who desired them.

Mr. Uhler replied that the city could readily obtain from the Mount Vernon R. Co., as Prof. Thompson proposed doing, such amount of electric power as it might desire to use or lease out. The company used the streets and would not refuse to furnish power if the city offered proper terms, but it was not the policy of the city to encourage rivals to its gas works.

Mr. Strider did not think the city desired to go into the business of incandescent electric lighting.

The committee on streets reported that no action was necessary on the communication from the County Supervisors referred to the committee at the last meeting of Council concerning the Prince street extension, as the joint committees on streets and finance had already reported on the matter.

Mr. Burke, in reply to a question, said that the city had appropriated \$1,200 for the extension of Prince street west and the matter was now awaiting the action of the county authorities.

An ordinance to provide for laying down and regulating sewers came up. The word "shops" was stricken out as the word "stores" was believed to cover the case.

The ordinance was then adopted, yeas 14, nays 0. The sewer tax is fixed at \$25 for stores and dwellings, and at \$20 for other buildings.

The Auditor reported that the appropriations for poor house, out-door poor and fire plugs were exhausted, and the report was referred.

A resolution authorizing the finance committee to borrow—thousand dollars to meet the ordinary expenses of the city was offered.

Mr. Uhler said that up to this time the city had expended \$13,000 more than for the corresponding period last year. There was a less sum now in the city treasury than at any time since he had known it. He said the borrowed money would only be used as required. The resolution was referred.

Mrs. A. E. Knight made proposals to renew her lease of a lot on the fish wharf, and the subject was referred.

An order appropriating \$1,000 to improve the carriage way on Washington, between Duke and Franklin streets, was presented and referred.

Peter P. Little of A street, Washington, made a proposal to furnish the city for \$4,500 with a gas plant which would supply 150,000 cubic feet per day at a cost of 38 cents per thousand feet, the gas to be of 22 to 24 candle power and to save to be \$20 per day, sufficient to pay the cost of the plant in 225 days. The subject was referred to the committee on light.

A communication was received from Mr. Frank E. Anderson setting out that he desires to establish a manufacturing plant on the land owned by the city at the outlet locks, &c. This land is over five squares in extent and is put down in the list of city resources at \$8,000. Mr. A. proposes to buy this land at the rate named, \$100 cash and the residue in installments running through 8 years. Mr. Anderson addressed the board on the subject of building up manufacturing here and said he expected to use northern capital in the plant to be established, but would be very glad if domestic and local capital would co-operate. He thought that four factories could be established very soon on the land if the proposal should be accepted by the City Council.

The proposal was referred.

Mr. Greene, who had intimated when the paper was first read that there might be a scheme in the proposal, said he had never had the acquaintance of Mr. Anderson nor seen him until then, but if Mr. Anderson would carry out the plan proposed he should have his support.

Mr. Anderson—Thank you, sir.

**A PROPOSED MANUFACTORY.**—It will be seen by the proceedings of the City Council last night that a communication was received from Mr. Frank E. Anderson setting out that he desires to establish a manufacturing plant on the land owned by the city at the outlet locks of the canal. This land is over five squares in extent. Mr. Anderson proposes to buy this land for \$8,000—its valuation by the city—and pay \$100 cash and the residue in installments running through eight years. Mr. Anderson proposes to use domestic capital to come to this city for building up the manufacturing interests of Alexandria. The proposition is looked upon with much favor by all, and it is hoped that the object will meet with every encouragement and that Mr. Anderson will be successful in his enterprises.

**JUVENILE TRAMP.**—Two respectable dressed boys, who gave their names as Charles and Bernard Mitchell, applied at the station house last night for lodging. This morning, in answer to questions, they stated that their home was in Richmond, which city they left a day or two ago for the purpose of visiting their aunt in Baltimore. They rode part of the way to this city and walked the remainder. Their great desire this morning was to get back home. They were held at the station house until noon, when they were released and started for Richmond.

**THE HOWARD CASSARD.**—The steamer Howard Cassard left Baltimore for Philadelphia in tow of the tug Mary yesterday. The Cassard will be cut down, equipped with triple expansion engines, and be converted into a yacht by Albert Box, owner of the yacht Chere Amie, now in the port of Baltimore. The intention will be to make her draw about nine feet of water, instead of twelve feet. The steamer was sold recently for old iron at \$1,000.

## ELECTRIC RAILWAY OFFICERS.

At a meeting of the directors of the Mt. V. Ry. Co., held in Philadelphia yesterday the following officers were elected: President, G. E. Abbot; vice president, Park Agnew; secretary, F. K. Hipple; treasurer, D. C. Luck; superintendent, Joseph Colvin. Among those present at the meeting was Mr. J. R. Caton, of this city.

**FISH.**—The first vessel load of fish to arrive at Fishtown this season arrived there from Cove river this evening. The cargo consisted of 35,000 herring. Several smaller boats arrived there with shad, but most of them went on to Washington. Shad now sell at from \$8 to \$10 per hundred and herring at \$4 and \$6 per thousand.

**NO NEWS.**—Up to 4 o'clock this evening nothing had been heard from the attorneys who went to Richmond to submit to Judge Keith the questions involved in the conflict of authority controversy between the Mayor and Police Commissioners.

## LOCAL BREVITIES.

There will be a meeting of Jackson Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., to night.

Mr. Roscoe Hawhurst, son of Mr. Job Hawhurst, died at Fairfax yesterday, aged 25 years.

The time of suspension of Policemen Smith and Ferguson will expire on Friday when they will be reinstated.

Mr. G. H. Hayden has decided to withdraw as a candidate for Clerk of the Gas, as he says, to give some other candidate a chance.

The Y. M. A. O. and D. Club (colored) realized \$22.45 by their recent entertainment at the Opera House for the benefit of the Alexandria Infirmary.

The remains of Mrs. Hetty A. Stunkel, who died in Washington on Monday night, were brought here to-day and interred in the Methodist cemetery.

One of the fine gray horses belonging to the Porter Brewing Company and which recently strained its back, had to be killed to-day to relieve it of its sufferings.

At the meeting last night of M. D. Camp, Sons of Confederate Veterans, no business of importance was transacted. The members simply talked of adopting a badge and uniform.

In the Corporation Court to-day in the case of R. T. Lucas, Jr., et al. vs. Emma Lucas et al., the report of Special Commissioner of Sale Armstrong was confirmed, and he was directed to convey property.

The funeral of the late Elmer Skidmore took place this evening from his late residence on upper Prince street. The funeral was attended by Alexandria Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., of which the deceased was a member.

Two colored men were arrested in Fredericksburg yesterday answering the description of those who overpowered the jailer at Manassas last week and escaped. They were examined by Mayor White and remanded to jail until the Manassas authorities could be heard from.

Messrs. O'Neal, Lunt and Strauss, auctioneers, yesterday sold at public auction four two story frame buildings situated on the south side of Commerce street, between West and Peyton streets—three to Messrs. J. Taylor Ellyson and Channing M. Bolton, the trustees, who bought them in, and one to Mr. Robert Elliott.

Mr. Robert G. Ball died at his residence in Washington, last night. Mr. Ball was born at Ball's Crossroad, Alexandria county, April 30, 1827, and went to Washington when only seven years of age, but returned to the place of his birth in 1848, where he remained until 1853, when he was appointed to a position in the city postoffice in Washington. For the past fifteen years he was a clerk in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia.

We have received an invitation from the Willing Workers' Band to be present at their third musical and literary entertainment Tuesday evening, March 30th, in the Baptist Church lecture room. The officers of the band are: Miss Nettie L. Henshaw, president; Miss Katie T. Leaf, vice president; Miss Z. L. Lindsey, secretary; Miss Bessie Thompson, treasurer; Miss Frankie A. Chase, pianist; Miss Bessie Elliott, assistant pianist.

**THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE NATIONAL CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY** for the election of officers and the transaction of other business will be held at 7 o'clock TO-DAY EVENING, April 6, 1897, at 24th St. L. F. HUNT, Secretary.

**PURE WASHED RIVER SAND** at 90c a yard. Delivered to any part of the city by WILLIAM Sisson, No. 628 south Fairfax street. mar22-3t

**THE FAMOUS SPECIFIC ORANGE BLOSSOM**, a positive cure for all female diseases. For sale by WARFIELD & HALL.

**PLAIN COLORS, Green, Garnet and Black CASHMERE**, one yard wide, formerly 25c, now 19c a yard, at A. C. SLAYMAKER'S.

**MAXIMUM, Minimum, Clinical, Standard Dairy and Brewers' Thermometers, Hydrometers, Aneroids, Barometers, &c.** for sale by E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

**REDUCTION IN FRUIT JARS.**—Mason's Pint 50c per dozen; Quarts 60c, and Half Gallons 90c, at J. C. MILBURN'S.

**12 MATS OF VERY FINE OLD JAVA COFFEE** just received for sale, freshly roasted or green, by J. C. MILBURN.

**FARM WAGONS**, a car load of FARM WAGONS in store and for sale by HERBERT BRYANT, No. 117 King Street.

**12 MATS Extra Fine Old Government JAVA COFFEE**, just received and for sale at 35c, freshly roasted, by J. C. MILBURN.

**NEW GOODS.**—Attorne's Mince Meat, Self Raising Baking Powder, Pancake Flour and Maple Syrup just received by J. C. MILBURN.

**REMNANTS OR SHORT ENDS UNBLEACHED COTTON** 5 to 20-yard pieces, specially heavy, at 5c a yard, at A. C. SLAYMAKER'S.

**CANNED FRUIT CHEAP.**—Royal Ann Cherries, Gold Drop Plums, Apricots and Damson Plums for sale at 15c, large cans, at J. C. MILBURN'S.

**NECKTIES**, a pretty assortment for spring wear, at A. C. SLAYMAKER'S.

**HAMBURG EMBROIDERIES**, fine assortment, just received at A. C. SLAYMAKER'S.

**SEVEN (7) Inch Tin Case Thermometers** Price 15c. E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

**FINE TOILET SOAPS.**—A line of nice Toilet Soaps just received and for sale at moderate prices by J. C. MILBURN.

**A GOOD 50c UNLAUNDERED SHIRT**, reinforced back and front, at only 39c, at A. C. SLAYMAKER'S.

**FEB 4 CORN GRITS**, 2 lbs for 5c, at J. C. MILBURN'S.

## OFFICIAL.

## BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

At a regular meeting of the Board of Aldermen of Alexandria, Va., held March 23rd, 1897, there were present:

Wm. H. Marbury, esq., President, and Messrs. Burke, Havener, Hinken, Ballenger, Davis and Sweeney.

An ordinance to provide for the construction of public sewers and to regulate the use thereof was received from the Common Council and passed by the following vote:

Ayes—Messrs. Havener, Burke, Hinken, Davis, Sweeney and Mr. President—6. Noes—none.

The following were received from the Common Council and their action concurred in: A petition from T. J. Fannon asking permission to remove a frame house on the north-west corner of Duke and Henry streets about ten or twelve feet; also a resolution authorizing the Finance Committee to borrow money for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the city for the fiscal year ending May 31st 1897; also a communication from the City Auditor informing Council that the appropriations for poor, workhouse and outdoor poor and fire plugs is exhausted; also a resolution directing that a suitable roadway twenty feet wide be made on Washington street, between Duke and Franklin streets, and that the sum of \$1,000 or as much thereof as may be necessary be appropriated to do this work; also a petition from Mrs. Annie E. Knight praying for a release of lot on city fish wharf; also a communication from Peter P. Little offering to supply the city with a plant for the manufacture of gas by the Logan system for \$4,500; also a resolution granting Charles F. Thompson permission to place incandescent lights upon the outside of buildings in the city of Alexandria; also the petition of Chas. M. Adams, Jr., and others for the opening of a road connecting the middle of Leesburg turnpike with Prince street extended, together with the report of the Committee on Streets which is in the hands of the joint committees on Finance and Streets, which committees are now prepared to act in the matter as soon as the county authorities are ready, and a communication from Mr. Frank E. Anderson who embodied a proposal that the canal lot property be sold to him at its assessed value.

The board then adjourned.

Teste: K. E. KNIGHT, Clerk.

## COMMON COUNCIL.

At a regular meeting of the Common Council of the city of Alexandria, Va., held March 23rd, 1897, there were present:

Hulbert Snowden, esq., Pres. ent. and Messrs. Burke, Thompson, Moore, Strider, Latham, Kaus, Beech, Harrison, Caton, Greene, Uhler, White and McChesney.

The adverse report of the joint committees on Finance and Light upon the resolution to authorize C. F. Thompson to place incandescent lights upon the outside of buildings in Alexandria under certain conditions was adopted.

An ordinance to provide for the construction of public sewers and to regulate the use thereof, amended and favorably reported by the Committee on Streets, was read 2nd and 3rd times and passed by a vote of ayes, Messrs. Burke, Thompson, Moore, Strider, Latham, Kaus, Beech, Harrison, Caton, Greene, Uhler, White, McChesney and Mr. President—14; noes, none.

The report of the Committee on Streets upon the order of the County S. paviors in reference to the opening of a new road to connect with Prince street extended "that the matter in question is now in the hands of the joint committees on Finance and Streets which committees are prepared to act in the matter as soon as the county authorities are ready" was received; the favorable report of the same committee upon the petition of T. J. Fannon for permission to remove certain frame houses to make room for a side track into his lot was adopted.

The following were referred to the Committee on Finance: viz: A resolution authorizing the committee to borrow money for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the city for the year ending May 31st, 1897; also a communication from the Auditor notifying Council of the exhaustion of the appropriations for "Poor, Workhouse and Outdoor Poor" and fire plugs.

A resolution to appropriate \$1,000 for a roadway 20 feet wide on Washington street between Duke and Franklin streets, was referred to the Committee on Streets.

A request from Annie E. Knight for the privilege of renewing lease on a lot on the fish wharf was referred to the Committee on Public Property.

A proposition from P. P. Little to furnish the city for \$4,500 with a plant for the manufacture of gas with a capacity of 80,000 to 150,000 feet per day was referred to the Committee on Light.

A communication from Mr. F. E. Anderson in which he offers the City Council \$4,500 for certain real estate amounting to between five and six squares of ground situated near the old canal was referred to the Committee on Public Property.

The board then adjourned.

Teste: JNO. T. JOHNSON, Clerk.

## SOMETHING TO KNOW.

It may be worth something to know that the very best medicine for restoring the tired out nervous system to a healthy vigor is Electric Bitters. This medicine is purely vegetable, acts by giving tone to the nerve centres in the stomach, gently stimulates the Liver and Kidneys, and aids the organs in throwing off impurities in the blood. Electric Bitters improves the appetite, aids digestion, and is pronounced by those who have tried it as the very best blood purifier and nerve tonic. Try it. Sold for 50c or \$1.00 per bottle at E. L. Allen's Drug Store.

**To Cure a Cold in One Day** Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure 25 cents. Sold by CHARLES G. LENNON.

**ARNOLD'S BROMO-CELESTY.** Try this unrivaled remedy for Headaches, Neuralgia, Stomachaches, 10 cents.

**Opening and Closing of the Mails.** Northern mails close at 7 30 and 11 45 a. m. and 1 15, 2 50, 6 50 and 8 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 5 00 p. m. Southern mails via Charlottesville, close at 7 50 and 10 55 a. m. and 2 15 and 8 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 3 00 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 10 40 a. m. and 3 13 and 8 30 p. m. Manassas Division mails close at 7 50 a. m. and 3 45 p. m. Open at 1 p. m.

Alexandria and Bon Air Hill mails close at 9 40 a. m. and 4 00 p. m. Open at 9 00 a. m. and 3 30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 2 15 p. m. and 8 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 4 45 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7 30 and 11 45 a. m. and 1 15, 2 50, 6 50 and 8 30 p. m. Office Hours—Open at 8 00 a. m. Close at 6 00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9 00 a. m. Close at 9 30 a. m.

Carriers' Schedule—Collections made on inside routes—6 30 and 10 00 a. m. and 3 00 and 5 30 p. m. Full route—6 30 a. m. and 5 30 p. m. Sunday collection 5 00 p. m. Carriers' window open Sunday 9 00 a. m. and close 9 30 a. m.

Deliveries made 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m., and 5 00 p. m.

All mail should be in office ten minutes before hour indicated for closing.

**5000 POUNDS OF GRANULATED SUGAR** received to-day and for sale at J. C. MILBURN'S.

**LOOK HERE!** A can of really good Sugar Corn for 5c at J. C. MILBURN'S.

**THE INFANT TOILET "STAR IVORY" COMBS.** Price 15c. E. S. LEADBEATER & SONS.

**PRETTY ASSORTMENT OF VALENTINES AND TOBACCO LANCES** at A. C. SLAYMAKER'S.

**WACKINTOSHES** and Gum Coats, at A. C. SLAYMAKER'S.

**NEW CLEANED CURRANTS** and RAISINS just received by J. C. MILBURN'S.

## DRY GOODS.

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10th, 11th and F Sts., N. W.

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**AN IDEAL DISPLAY OF Women's PARIS LINGERIE.**

Second floor. —0—  
**Curtain Department**

Is now showing all the new styles of Spring and Summer Hangings and Drapery Stuffs, Slip Cover Materials, &c., and calls attention to the following special values:

New 38-inch Silkalines, in floral, India, and Bagdad effects. Per yard 12½c.

New patterns in Scotch Lace Madras at about half usual prices.

27-inch, cream or lemon. Per yard, 12½c.

36 inch, cream or lemon. Per yard, 17c.

50 inch, cream or lemon. Per yard, 21c.

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**Slip Covers to Order.**  
We are now in a position to give you the best work and the lowest prices on Furniture Slip Covers. We handle the 66 inch Double-faced Linens, which cut to a much better advantage than any other width, and require quite less time to cut and sew. We also use the best worsted binding for same.

Send us your address, and we will have a man call and give you prices, and at the same time show you a full line of samples.

We make to order Window Shades. We have received our line of dark shades for spring and summer.

We make to order all kinds of Sash Curtains and Draperies.

We make to order and lay Parquetry (hard wood) Flooring.

Estimates cheerfully furnished.

Just put on sale a lot of 4-4 DENIM TABLE COVERS, in light and dark blue, green, old rose, &c., fringed and embroidered, at 37½c each.

Fourth floor. —0—  
**New Toilet Sets.**

We now show more than one hundred styles, with and without jar, and as a special value offer 12 piece TOILET SETS, of English porcelain, complete with slip jar, in choice decorations, at the quick-selling price, \$3.50 the set.

Fifth floor. —0—  
**GOODS DELIVERED IN ALEXANDRIA.**

**Woodward & Lothrop**